

END OF THE CAMPAIGN FORECASTS

HIRAM BINGHAM IS DEAD

ONE OF THE GREATEST OF PACIFIC MISSIONARIES PASSED AWAY IN BALTIMORE ON OCTOBER 25—NO CABLE SENT HERE, TO HIS MANY FRIENDS—A GREAT CHARACTER IN THE MISSIONARY WORK

A Baltimore dispatch dated October 26 states that the Rev. Dr. Bingham of Hawaii died the day preceding, having undergone an operation at Johns Hopkins hospital the previous week.

P. C. Jones, who today returned in the Siberia, credits the information having seen it generally in coast papers before he left. It was his first impulse to cable the news here, but on second thought, he took it for granted that the Associated Press would have flashed it here to the newspapers. Theodore Richards feels inclined to doubt the correctness of the telegraphed newspaper item from Baltimore.

"It seems to me most remarkable and hardly possible," he said, "that no one should have notified us."

In the San Francisco Chronicle of October 27, the following appears:

BALTIMORE, October 26.—Rev. Dr. Hiram Bingham, the noted Congregational missionary, who underwent a surgical operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital last week, died here yesterday. Dr. Bingham was born in Honolulu in 1831, to which place his parents had gone from America in 1820 as pioneer missionaries. In 1856 he went to the Gilbert Islands as a missionary.

Buried away on the Gilbert Islands for a third of a century, where the equator crosses near the 180th meridian of longitude and the seafaring man changes his day in crossing, Rev. Hiram Bingham, missionary, lexicographer, master mariner and philologist, in June made his appearance amid civilized surroundings in San Francisco, coming by way of Honolulu.

Rev. Mr. Bingham went to the islands in 1857 and found the natives in a very savage state. They wore hardly any clothing, and were hostile to whites. Owing to the influences which have been brought to bear the natives, according to the missionary, are now civilized. Mr. Bingham's great work was the translation of the Bible into the Gilbertian language, and he has not only been successful in that herculean task but he has adapted 215 hymns to the language, which the natives delight in singing. His dictionary of the Gilbert Islands language contains 12,000 words.

Mr. Bingham commanded the missionary packet Morning Star on her famous voyage from Boston to Honolulu in 1867, which occupied 120 days, and his father, Hiram Bingham, was one of the first seven missionaries who arrived at Honolulu in 1820.

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ALAKEA STREET.

Republicans Think Their Ticket Is Now Safe

On the last day of the campaign the prospects look brighter for the Republicans than I had any expectation of when the canvass was begun. From every side our reports tell us that the Hawaiian vote is strongly behind us.

Prince Cupid is certain to be elected. Last election the Home Rulers were partly fused with the Democrats but now these two parties are bitterly opposing each other and the Home Rulers are disposed to favor Prince Kuhio. There is every indication that public sentiment is strongly behind the Republican ticket.

The Republicans are going ahead in harmony, and my forecast is that the Republican Party will have a sweeping victory. There is no reason existing for a defection from the Republican strength so look for a sweeping victory.

A. L. C. ATKINSON,
Chairman Republican Central Committee.

KUHIO SAYS TICKET IS SAFE

When asked what he thought of the island by a bigger majority than I did two years ago.

"There is not the least thing to worry about. The Republican party will carry through its ticket all the way and when Tuesday night comes you will find out that I am right. It will be a landslide for the Territorial ticket and the City and County ticket is McCandless' stronghold, I will carry the island by a bigger majority than I did two years ago."

"I will carry every one of the islands. Kanaia is, of course always Republican. I will beat him easily here and on Maui will beat him worse than I did McCandless. On Hawaii which the Democrats profess to believe is McCandless' stronghold, I will carry the island by a bigger majority than I did two years ago."

M'CANDLESS MAINTAINS CONFIDENCE

L. L. McCandless, when seen this morning predicted that he would win the contest for delegate by a good margin. He said: "I feel very confident of winning out. I expect to carry the island of Oahu by a good majority and will also carry Hawaii. On Maui I expect to get a good vote and may carry the island, though I do not say that I will. Everything looks very good."

Mr. McCandless appears to be very tired after his long seige of campaigning and his voice is practically gone, from the many speeches which he has made under trying conditions. He still wears a confident smile and says he is sure of election.

From the general indications in the city at present it appears that the Republicans will carry the larger number of the offices on the City and County ticket while it is generally expected that they will make nearly a clean sweep when it comes to the Legislature. There are a few offices which are conceded to the Democrats by the majority of the Republicans who are closely in touch with the people, but when it comes to the candidates for the House it is expected that a solid ticket will be sent in.

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CONTAGIOUS DISEASE MUST BE HANDLED

Dr. Hubert Wood, of Waiakua, who has been taking a great interest in the problem of handling contagious diseases, particularly among the laborers on the local plantations, is one of the medical men of Hawaii who believes that some means of combating tuberculosis should be taken up immediately by the Territorial officials and that segregation is the only means by which the Great White Plague can be properly brought under control. In his work at the Waiakua plantation Dr. Wood has not only come in contact with the disease mentioned but also with the other contagious diseases, especially trachoma and beri-beri, both of which are causing a considerable loss of life on plantations. In speaking of the matter yesterday he said: "I believe that all the plantations in the Territory are coming to realize more and more that they must carefully look after the health of their laborers and that money properly spent in this line is a first class investment. At the present time, when labor is scarce, the sickness of a number of men on any plantation is severely felt. It is not a question of losing the work of the one man who is sick, but it should be remembered that while he is laid up he wants alkane with him during the day and also one at night, this means that the plantation loses the work of three men for each one who is sick. When there are many cases of sickness it will be seen that it is not hard to cripple the working force badly."

"In regard to tuberculosis it is apparent that there is only one way in which this disease can be handled properly, that is by segregation. We have

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THE BET TAKEN

For about a week past an offered bet of 2 to 1 on Taft, \$1000, and of 5 to 1 with odds on Kuhio, together with an offer to bet \$100 against anyone who wanted to name the next county attorney, has been posted in a local cigar store. Today the county attorney bet was taken up and \$100 was put up that the next county attorney would be Cathart. The other bets are not yet taken up.

TO-NIGHT PARADE

The Republican torchlight procession tonight will be one of the most spectacular affairs of its kind. There will be over 1,500 men taking part in the parade, and nearly half of them will be in uniform. The different precincts will all be represented, and a good estimate of the party's strength can be made from their showing. Fireworks will be supplied to all precinct representatives, and a special cohort of mounted men provided with Roman candles will make a striking pyrotechnic display.

There are expected to be many thousands upon the streets tonight, as nearly everyone will be down town, and the police department has made special preparations toward insuring order, both during the parade and at Aala Park.

Of the 1500 men in the procession, all will be supplied with red fire, banners, transparencies, fireworks, or flags, and the parade will be an impressive showing of Republican strength. The firms who will have transparencies in the procession are: Hackfeld & Co., Davies & Co., Honolulu Construction Co., Oat & Mossman, Oahu Railroad and Land Co., Wenhouse Trust Co., Bank of Hawaii, Benson, Smith & Co., Waterhouse & Co., Hawaiian Star, Hawaiian Carriage, Hawaiian Carriage Co., California Feed Co., Honolulu Iron Works, Hoffschlaeger & Co., Hall & Son, Castle & Cooke, Harry Armitage, Club Stables, Union Feed Co., Alexander & Baldwin, Hawaiian Electric Co., Associated Garage, Schuman Carriage Co., Inter Island S. N. Co., McCabe, Hamilton & Rennie, Macfarlane & Co., Lewis & Co., Brewer & Co., Hustace-Peck, Co., and many of the candidates will have individual transparencies.

The parade managers request all who intend to take part in the procession to be in the drill shed at 7 o'clock sharp tonight.

The parade will start from the drill shed at 7:30 and march along Hotel street to Fort, down Fort to King and along King to Aala Park, where the grand final rally will be held. Besides some very strong speeches, there will be moving pictures music and more fireworks. The rally at Aala Park will begin at 8:30.

Besides Prince Kuhio and all the other candidates, the principal speakers at the Republican meeting tonight will be as follows: W. O. Smith, Geo. A. Davis, National Committeeman A. G. M. Robertson, Antonio Perry, Geo. W. Smith and John Lucas.

All Republican Candidates are to meet at corner of Hotel and Richard streets at 7 o'clock this evening to take part in the Republican torchlight parade.

The place to have your Typewriters and machines repaired is at Wall, Nichols Co., Ltd. Fort and Merchant streets. Telephone 10.

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NATIONAL WIND-UP-

Republican National Committeeman A. G. M. Robertson today received the following cablegram from National Republican headquarters:

"Taft is sure of election. New York is safe for the Republican Presidential candidate. Indiana, Ohio and Nebraska are reasonably safe. The Pacific Coast is safe."

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

SAN FRANCISCO, November 2.—Republican Presidential Candidate W. H. Taft is closing his campaign tonight in Cincinnati. Democratic Presidential Candidate W. J. Bryan is in Lincoln, Nebraska. Both have delivered several addresses today.

The fight in New York and Ohio will be prolonged until midnight. The indications are that the contest in New York, Indiana, Nebraska and Kentucky will be close.

Ohio will go Republican. Taft has predicted a sweeping Republican victory in New York, including the election of Hughes as Governor of that State.

Bryan has made the statement that he is confident of success. He has renewed confidence in his national estimates.

Chairman Mack of the Democratic National Committee claims there will be a Democratic landslide. He attacks Hearst and charges that the Independence League was organized for the purpose of defeating Bryan for personal revenge. He expects that the disagreeing lines will be closely drawn everywhere.

The final State estimates are narrowing and the indications are that the vote will be the closest since 1892.

Enthusiasm throughout the Eastern States is intensifying while the Western States are dormant.

HONOLULU BOY TELLS OF TERROR

Young Warren Purdy of this city, who rounded the Horn in the American ship Astral and was in her when she made a start back from the Atlantic to the Pacific and was dismantled in a hurricane, writes his parents here concerning his terrific experience with the mad elements. Taking shipwreck as a matter of course, he uses the following calm language in a letter dated at New York, October 16:

"I suppose by this time you have had my cable and so aren't worrying even if you have had the news of our plunka. "I didn't keep any log of the doings, but I will try to tell you about it. We left Baltimore, Wednesday, the first of October, and dropped our tow about ten miles outside, about 3 o'clock the next afternoon. "Well, the weather was pretty punk, not much wind and a bit of fog, but things looked up along in the evening and it started to blow pretty hard. We had the upper topgallants fast. "Sunday it was blowing good and stiff and raining most of the day; had the lower topgallants fast when we came off watch at four. We were called out at about 6:30 to make the upper topgallants and the foresail fast; the crossjack and mainsail had been fast since the morning before. "It was all hands on deck from then until Tuesday night. The three lower topgallants blew off about ten and about eleven the spars began to float away. First the foretopgallantmast went,

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